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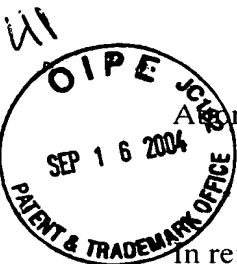
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This response addresses the Official Action of June 23, 2004.

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Transmitted herewith is an AMENDMENT in the above-identified patent application.

- ☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR §1.27.
- ☐ No additional fee is required.
- ☒ The fee has been calculated as shown below:

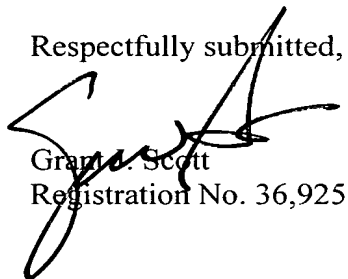
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- ☐ Please charge my Deposit Account No. 50-0220 in the amount of \$_____ for _____.
- ☒ A check in the amount of \$860.00 to cover the additional claims fee is enclosed.
- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0220.
- ☒ Any additional filing fees required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 for the presentation of extra claims.
- ☒ Any patent application processing fees under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17.

Respectfully submitted,

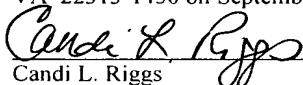


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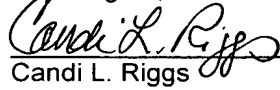
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